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FM DENVER (70A-5731) (P)

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (ROUTINE)

ATTN: [REDACTED] GENERAL GOVERNMENT CRIMES

TO NEW YORK (70A-25280) (ROUTINE)

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UNSUBS; [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL - VICTIMS;
CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST-
POINT, NEW YORK; CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OO: NEW YORK
RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU, DATED MARC 22, 1985.

AS NEW YORK WAS ADVISED PREVIOUSLY [REDACTED]
WAS ABSENT FROM [REDACTED] FOR A CONSIDERABLE PERIOD
OF TIME. UPON HER RETURN, SHE WAS INTERVIEWED AND COULD FURNISH
NO POSITIVE INFORMATION IN THIS MATTER.

FD-302'S FOLLOW BY AIRTEL.

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FM FBI NEW YORK (70A-5280) (P) (NRA)

TO DIRECTOR FBI PRIORITY

ATTN: [REDACTED] GENERAL GOVERNMENT CRIMES UNIT

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FBI ATLANTA (70A-5921) PRIORITY

FBI BALTIMORE (70A-6530) PRIORITY

FBI CINCINNATI PRIORITY

FBI DENVER (70A-5731) PRIORITY

FBI EL PASO (70A-3321) PRIORITY

FBI OMAHA PRIORITY

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DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WESTPOINT, NEW YORK, CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OFFICE OF ORIGIN: NEW YORK.

RENYTEL TO ALL FIELD OFFICES DATED NOVEMBER 20, 1984 AND NOVEMBER 30, 1984, ^{sn 15}NYTEL TO ATLANTA DATED JANUARY 16, 1985, ANCHORAGE TELETYPE TO NEW YORK DATED JANUARY 24, 1985, DENVER TELETYPE TO NEW YORK DATED JANUARY 14, 1985, AND EL PASO AIRTEL TO NEW YORK DATED MARCH 5, 1985.

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, SDNY, WILL NOT BEGIN PRESENTING EVIDENCE TO A FEDERAL GRAND JURY IN THIS MATTER UNTIL THE BUREAU INVESTIGATION IS COMPLETE AND RESULTS ARE FINALIZED.

THEREFORE, IT IS REQUESTED THAT RECEIVING OFFICES EXPEDITE COVERAGE OF THE BELOW LISTED LEADS. ALL LEADS HAVE BEEN SET FORTH PREVIOUSLY IN ONE OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED NEW YORK TELETYPES WITH THE EXCEPTION OF LEAD FOR EL PASO AND LEADS TO FORWARD FD-302S TO NEW YORK.

LEAD

ANCHORAGE

AT [REDACTED] WILL FORWARD FD-302S REGARDING ALL INTERVIEWS TO NEW YORK.

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2. WILL INTENSIFY EFFORTS TO LOCATE A CHILD ABUSE SPECIALIST FOR THE SCREENING OF [REDACTED]

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3. IF UNSUCCESSFUL IN LOCATING SPECIALIST, WILL UTILIZE [REDACTED] COUNSELING CENTER. [REDACTED] UPON CONDITION THAT AGENT CAN BE PRESENT AND REPORT ON ALL INFORMATION OBTAINED DURING SCREENING SESSIONS WITH [REDACTED]

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LEADS SETFORTH IN JANUARY 16, 1985 TELETYPE.

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AT [REDACTED] WILL COVER LEADS SETFORTH IN JANUARY

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16, 1985 TELETYPE.

DENVER

AT [REDACTED] WILL FORWARD FD-302

REGARDING INTERVIEWS OF [REDACTED] (NOTE REQUEST FOR FD-302S FOR
ALL INTERVIEWS, PAGE 6 OF REFERENCED NOVEMBER 30, 1984 TELETYPE).

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2. WILL COVER LEAD SETFORTH IN REFERENCED NOVEMBER 20, 1984
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EL PASO

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AT [REDACTED] WILL RECONTACT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION AND DETAILS CONCERNING THEIR
CHILD'S ANSWER TO QUESTION NUMBER 25 (PAGE 3 OF [REDACTED])

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2. WILL DETERMINE IF PARENTS WAS AWARE OF TEACHER'S
ACTIONS, IF THEY PROVIDED THE CDC STAFF WITH [REDACTED] FOR
THEIR CHILD, AND IF THEY CAN IDENTIFY THE TEACHER IN QUESTION. WILL
DETERMINE IF TEACHER INVOLVED IS IDENTICAL TO ANY OF THE SUSPECTS
LISTED IN REFERENCED NOVEMBER 20, 1984 COMMUNICATION.

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AT [REDACTED] WILL COVER LEAD SETFORTH IN REFERENCED
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RICHMOND

AT [REDACTED] WILL COVER LEADS SETFORTH IN
JANUARY 16, 1985 TELETYPE.

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FM SAN ANTONIO (70A-7783) (RUC)

TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

NEW YORK (70A-5280) (NRA) PRIORITY

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UNSUB (S); [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL - VICTIMS; [REDACTED]

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY,

WESTPOINT, NEW YORK, CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN, OO: NEW YORK

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO FBIHQ, MARCH 22, 1985, AND SAN
ANTONIO AIRTEL, MARCH 5, 1985. ^{NR-6-24-85 mfb} 170-74536-24

FOR INFORMATION FBIHQ AND NEW YORK, RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION
SUBMITTED BY REFERENCED SAN ANTONIO AIRTEL, MARCH 5, 1985, WHICH
CONTAINED APPROPRIATE FD-302S AND OTHER ENCLOSURES. NO FURTHER
INVESTIGATION PENDING IN THE SAN ANTONIO DIVISION AND THIS MATTER
IS CONSIDERED RUC'D.

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[REDACTED] WAS ALSO INTERVIEWED THIS DATE AND HER RESPONSES INDICATED THAT SHE WAS NOT THE SUBJECT OF ANY EXPLOITATION OR SEXUAL ABUSE WHILE AT THE "DAY CARE CENTER", WEST POINT, NEW YORK, DURING THE PERIOD OF [REDACTED]

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FD-302'S OF SEPARATE INTERVIEWS WILL FOLLOW.

PHOTOGRAPHS WERE ALSO SHOWN TO ABOVE WITNESSES, OF TEACHERS WHO FORMERLY TAUGHT AT THE DAY CARE CENTER, WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

SINCE ALL APPARENT INVESTIGATION HAS BEEN CONDUCTED IN THIS MATTER BY THE BOSTON DIVISION, THIS MATTER WILL BE PLACED IN AN RUC STATUS UPON SUBMISSION OF THE FD-302'S.

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Date 4/24/85

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 ATTN: [REDACTED] GGCU

FROM: SAC, ANCHORAGE (70A-2246) (P)

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ET AL - VICTIMS;
 CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER,
 UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY,
 WEST POINT, NEW YORK;
 CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN
 OO: NEW YORK

Re Anchorage airtel to New York, 4/4/85.

Enclosed for New York is the original and one copy of two separate FD-302s setting forth the interviews of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] her [REDACTED] year old son.

Arrangements have been concluded and [REDACTED] is

[REDACTED] Upon any anticipation of evidentiary material, video taping will be initiated.

On 4/12/85, [REDACTED] the wife of Major [REDACTED] presently assigned to [REDACTED] advised that she had been talking to [REDACTED] another military wife, about the child abuse at at the Child Development Center (CDC), West Point, New York.

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[redacted] had been interviewed by the FBI, on a previous occasion, concerning the possible abuse of her [redacted] [redacted] had mentioned to her a question asked of her concerning the "monkey" game. This disturbed [redacted] inasmuch as she and her husband had been assigned to West Point during this same period of time and her son, [redacted] had experienced nightmares about "monkeys". [redacted] had attended CDC from [redacted] years of age during [redacted] requested an agent interview.

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On 4/15/85, both [redacted] were interviewed at their residence, [redacted]

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Following these interviews and the accompanying observations it is the opinion of the interviewing Agent that [redacted] exhibits none of the behavioral patterns or traits inherent in children having undergone sexual abuse. In view of this, no recommendation for further screening is being requested.

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Investigation at Anchorage continuing.

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FM LOUISVILLE (70A-4688) (P)

TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

NEW YORK (70A-5280) (NRA) PRIORITY

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ATTENTION: [REDACTED], GGCU, FBIHQ.

UNSUB(S); [REDACTED] VICTIM; ET AL - VICTIMS;

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY,

WEST POINT, NEW YORK; CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OO: NEW YORK.

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO LOUISVILLE, DATED 3/8/85.

BEING SENT BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION FOR NEW YORK DIVISION
ARE COPIES OF FD-302S REFLECTING INTERVIEWS WITH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND CHILDREN [REDACTED]

ON 4/15/85, [REDACTED] AND CHILDREN WERE INTERVIEWED
WITH REGARDS TO THEIR KNOWLEDGE OF ANY SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN
OR OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY AT THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, WEST
POINT, NEW YORK. [REDACTED] HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY PROBLEMS

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AT THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER AND NEITHER CHILD INDICATED THAT THEY WERE ABUSED IN ANY FASHION NOR DID THEY OBSERVE ANY OTHER CHILDREN BEING ABUSED. [REDACTED] INDICATED THAT HER CHILDREN ARE VERY OPEN AND IF THEY WERE ABUSED OR OBSERVED ANY ONE BEING ABUSED, THEY WOULD HAVE TOLD HER OR THE INTERVIEWING AGENT ABOUT IT. [REDACTED] HAS NOT BEEN ADVISED BY ANY OTHER MOTHER THAT SHE HAS COME IN CONTACT WITH THAT THEIR CHILDREN WERE ABUSED AT THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER.

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TO DIRECTOR FBI

ATTN: [REDACTED]

GENERAL GOVERNMENT CRIMES UNIT (GGCU)

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UNSUB(S): [REDACTED] - VICTIM: ET AL - VICTIMS: CHILD

DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW
YORK; CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN (OO:NY).

RENYTELS TO BUREAU (GGCU) DATED FEBRUARY 14, 1985 AND MARCH 14,
1985 AND GGCU TELEPHONE CALL TO NEWBURGH RA, MARCH 18, 1985.

IN REFERENCED TELEPHONE CALL, GGCU ADVISED THAT THEY WERE NEVER
IN RECEIPT OF REFERENCED FEBRUARY 14, 1985 TELETYPE. COMPLETE TEXT
OF FEBRUARY 14, 1985 TELETYPE IS AS FOLLOWS:

Per [REDACTED] ABAU,
Budget and Accounting Sec'y, ASD,
Approval can be granted by teletype,
stipulating funds to be obtained
from Field Support Account.

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THE NEW YORK DIVISION INADVERTENTLY FAILED TO REQUEST BUREAU AUTHORITY FOR RENTAL OF A VEHICLE OF EXCESS OF THE INITIAL 30-DAY PERIOD. THE INITIAL RENTAL PERIOD WAS OCTOBER 10, 1984 THROUGH NOVEMBER 10, 1984, AND THIS PERIOD WAS SUBSEQUENTLY EXTENDED TO DECEMBER 10, 1984. THE VEHICLE WAS USED FOR GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE PURPOSES IN CAPTIONED MATTER.

THE RENTAL VEHICLE WAS A 1984 CHEVOLET CAVALIER FOUR DOOR SEDAN. THE VEHICLE WAS RENTED FROM BUDGET RENT-A-CAR, 103 FRANKLIN AVENUE, RIDGEWOOD, NEW JERSEY. TOTAL COST OF THE RENTAL FOR THE 60-DAY PERIOD WAS \$988.25, ONE HALF OF WHICH HAS ALREADY BEEN PAID FROM THE FIELD SUPPORT ACCOUNT.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE BUREAU APPROVE THE PAYMENT OF THE REMAINDER OF THIS EXPENSE FROM THE NEW YORK FIELD SUPPORT ACCOUNT.

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BUREAU AUTHORITY IS GRANTED FOR NEW YORK TO EXPEND AN
ADDITIONAL \$469.13 TO PAY THE REMAINDER OF VEHICLE RENTAL
EXPENSE. THE ADDITIONAL FUNDS THAT WILL BE USED IN CONNECTION
WITH CAPTIONED CASE SHOULD BE DRAWN FROM THE DIVISION FIELD
SUPPORT ACCOUNT.

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NOTE: THIS CASE INVOLVES THE ALLEGED SEXUAL ABUSE OF MINOR CHILDREN ENROLLED AT THE WEST POINT CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER {WPCDC}, U.S. MILITARY ACADEMY {USMA}, WEST POINT, NEW YORK, BY WPCDC STAFF MEMBERS. INVESTIGATION WAS INSTITUTED BY OUR NEW YORK OFFICE ON 7/30/84. THE INTERVIEW PHASE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IN THE WEST POINT AREA HAS VIRTUALLY BEEN COMPLETED. AS OF JANUARY 10, 1985, THE PARENTS OF 672 CHILDREN WHO HAVE ATTENDED THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER {CDC} HAVE BEEN INTERVIEWED AND THE CHILDREN THEMSELVES HAVE BEEN INTERVIEWED WHEN DEEMED APPROPRIATE.

IN ADDITION, 47 FORMER CDC EMPLOYEES AND 10 CURRENT EMPLOYEES NOT PREVIOUSLY INTERVIEWED WERE INTERVIEWED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. FORMER EMPLOYEES, AND NUMEROUS OTHER PARENTS AND CHILDREN REMAIN TO BE INTERVIEWED BY AGENTS IN OTHER FIELD DIVISION AND BY LEGATS. SEVERAL ADDITIONAL CHILDREN WHO HAVE DISPLAYED SYMPTOMS OF POSSIBLE ABUSE WERE IDENTIFIED IN DECEMBER AND JANUARY; HOWEVER, MANY OF THE PARENTS HAVE NOT CONSENTED TO HAVE THEM INTERVIEWED AS YET.

ON 12/18/84, A MEETING WAS HELD BETWEEN FBI PERSONNEL AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE {USA}. THE USA'S OFFICE NOTED THAT WHILE THEY COULD PROBABLY INDICT TWO OR THREE SUSPECTS AT THIS TIME, THEY WILL NOT SEEK INDICTMENTS UNLESS THERE EXISTS A REAL POSSIBILITY OF CONVICTION. THE NYO IS CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF REVIEWING AND COLLATING THE MASSIVE AMOUNT OF EVIDENCE INTO A FORMAT SUITABLE FOR REVIEW BY THE USA TO ENABLE HIM TO RENDER A PROSECUTIVE OPINION.

BY TELETYPE DATED 3/18/85, THE NEW YORK DIVISION ADVISES THAT \$469.13 IS NEEDED TO PAY FOR VEHICLE RENTAL EXPENSES RELATED TO THIS INVESTIGATION.

THIS MATTER WAS COORDINATED WITH SSA [REDACTED] ABAU, BUDGET AND ACCOUNTING SECTION, ASD BY [REDACTED] FUGITIVE/GENERAL GOVERNMENT CRIMES UNIT, GENERAL CRIMES SECTION, CID.

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FM FBI NEW YORK (70A-5280) (P) (NRA)

TO DIRECTOR FBI PRIORITY

ATTN: [REDACTED] GENERAL GOVERNMENT CRIMES UNIT

FBI BALTIMORE (70A-6530) PRIORITY

FBI DETROIT PRIORITY

FBI KANSAS CITY (70A-5965) PRIORITY

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FBI MILWAUKEE PRIORITY

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UNCLAS E F T O

UNSUB(S): [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL - VICTIMS; CHILD

DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW

YORK; CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN (OO:NY)

RENYTELS TO ALL FIELD DIVISION, DATED NOVEMBER 20, 1984 AND

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NOVEMBER 30, 1984, NYTELS TO BALTIMORE, DATED JANUARY 16, 1985 AND
AND MARCH 22, 1985, NYTELS TO LOUISVILLE AND MILWAUKEE, DATED
MARCH 8, 1985 AND NYAIRTEL TO KANSAS CITY, DATED MARCH 13, 1985.

FOR INFORMATION OF RECEIVING OFFICES, A FEDERAL GRAND JURY IN
THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN HEARING
EVIDENCE IN THIS MATTER ON APRIL 18, 1985. IT IS, THEREFORE,
REQUESTED THAT BALTIMORE, KANSAS CITY, LOUISVILLE, AND MILWAUKEE
EXPEDITE COVERAGE OF RESPECTIVE LEADS AT NEWARK, DELAWARE; FORT
LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS; MADISON, WISCONSIN; AND FORT KNOX, KENTUCKY.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF DETROIT, THE BACKGROUND OF THIS
INVESTIGATION IS SET FORTH IN THE REFERENCED NOVEMBER 28, 1984
TELETYPE, AND SPECIFIC SUGGESTIONS/INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING INTERVIEWS
OF CHILDREN WHO ATTENDED THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER (CDC) AND THE
PARENTS OF THOSE CHILDREN ARE SET FORTH IN REFERENCED
NOVEMBER 30, 1984 TELETYPE.

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2. IF [REDACTED] FAMILY COULD NOT BE LOCATED AT ABOVE ADDRESS,
DETERMINE FORWARDING ADDRESS AND SUTEL LEAD TO APPROPRIATE FIELD
DIVISION, REQUESTING THEM TO EXPEDITE COVERAGE.

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FBI DETROIT PRIORITY

FBI KANSAS CITY {70A-59653} PRIORITY

FBI LOUISVILLE {70A-46883} PRIORITY

FBI MILWAUKEE PRIORITY

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UNSUB{S}; [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL - VICTIMS;

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY,

WEST POINT, NEW YORK; CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN;

BUDED: APRIL 17, 1985; 00: NEW YORK.

REFERENCE NEW YORK TELETYPES TO ALL FIELD DIVISIONS, DATED NOVEMBER 20, 1984 AND NOVEMBER 30, 1984, NEW YORK TELETYPES TO BALTIMORE, DATED JANUARY 16, 1985 AND MARCH 22, 1985, NEW YORK TELETYPES TO LOUISVILLE AND MILWAUKEE, DATED MARCH 8, 1985,

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NEW YORK AIRTEL TO KANSAS CITY, DATED MARCH 13, 1985 AND

20 NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BALTIMORE, DETROIT, KANSAS CITY,

18 LOUISVILLE, MILWAUKEE, DATED APRIL 12, 1985.

16 RECEIVING OFFICES ARE REQUESTED TO EXPEDITE COVERAGE OF
RESPECTIVE LEADS SET FORTH IN REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS.

SUTEL RESULTS TO NEW YORK AND FBIHQ BY COB: APRIL 17, 1985.

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TO DIRECTOR (PRIORITY)

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ATTN: FBIHQ, [REDACTED] GENERAL GOVERNMENT CRIMES UNIT

UNSUB(S); [REDACTED] VICTIM; ET AL-VICTIMS; CHILD

DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT,

NEW YORK; CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OO: NEW YORK

RE NEW YORK TELETYPES TO ALL FIELD DIVISIONS DATED NOVEMBER 20, 1984, NOVEMBER 30, 1984 AND NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, DATED APRIL 11, 1985.

FOR INFORMATION OF BOSTON, A FEDERAL GRAND JURY IN THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN HEARING EVIDENCE IN THIS MATTER ON APRIL 18, 1985. IT IS THEREFORE, REQUESTED THAT BOSTON EXPEDITE COVERAGE OF LEAD AT FORT DEVENS,

FUG. SUP. [REDACTED]

Call Boston and let them know we have leads on eight of them

Called Sup [REDACTED] and let them know we have leads on eight of them

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FOR INFORMATION OF BOSTON, THE BACKGROUND OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS SET FORTH IN THE REFERENCED NOVEMBER 28, 1984 TELETYPE, AND SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS/SUGGESTIONS REGARDING INTERVIEWS OF CHILDREN WHO ATTENDED THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER (CDC) AND THE PARENTS OF THOSE CHILDREN ARE SET FORTH IN REFERENCED NOVEMBER 30, 1984 TELETYPE.

ON APRIL 15, 1985, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] NOW RESIDE AT [REDACTED]

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NYTEL TO BUREAU DATED MARCH 22, 1985.

REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS FROM SAN ANTONIO, OMAHA, AND CINCINNATI WAS RECEIVED BY THE NEW YORK DIVISION, NRA, SUBSEQUENT TO MARCH 22, 1985 NYTEL. NO LEADS ARE OUTSTANDING FOR THESE THREE FIELD DIVISIONS AT THIS TIME.

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CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 6/14/85

INSUBS.

Re:

[REDACTED] - VICTIM
 ET AL - VICTIMS;
 CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER,
 UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY,
 WEST POINT, NEW YORK;
 CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN
 OO: NEW YORK

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Attached New York teletype advises that the Federal grand jury is still hearing evidence in this case. It is the opinion of the United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, that the grand jury will not indict anyone in this case due to lack of sufficient evidence to support an indictment.

Enclosure

1 - ~~Mr. Colwell~~
 1 - ~~Mr. Otto~~
 1 - Mr. Baker
 1 - Mr. Revell
 1 - Mr. Clarke
 1 - [REDACTED]
 1 - [REDACTED]
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 1 - CID Duty Agent
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UNKNOWN SUBJECTS; [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL;

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER; U.S. MILITARY ACADEMY; WEST POINT,

NEW YORK; CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OO: NEW YORK.

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE APRIL 11, 1985.

REFERENCED TELETYPE ADVISED THAT A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, SDNY, WAS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN HEARING EVIDENCE IN CAPTIONED MATTER ON APRIL 18, 1985.

NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO PROMPTLY SUBMIT A TELETYPE SETTING FORTH THE RESULTS OF THE ABOVE PRESENTATION AND THE STATUS OF THE INVESTIGATION.

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FM FBI NEW YORK (70A-5280) (P) (NRA)

TO DIRECTOR FBI ROUTINE

ATTN: [REDACTED], GGCU

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DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW
YORK; CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OFFICE OF ORIGIN: NEW YORK.

REBUREAU TEL TO NEW YORK, JUNE 10, 1985.

A FEDERAL GRAND JURY SITTING IN WHITE PLAINS, NEW YORK, IS
STILL HEARING EVIDENCE IN CAPTIONED MATTER. THE TERM OF THE GRAND
JURY HAS RECENTLY EXTENDED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS
INVESTIGATION. NEW YORK IS CONTINUING TO TO COVER LEADS ARISING

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FROM THE GRAND JURY PROCEEDINGS, AS WELL AS LEADS ARISING FROM NEW INFORMATION PROVIDED BY TWO OF THE PROBABLE VICTIM CHILDREN.

HOWEVER, ALL ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION HAS BEEN NEGATIVE TO DATE.

IT IS THE OPINION OF AUSA [REDACTED] THAT THE GRAND JURY WILL NOT INDICT ANYONE IN THIS MATTER.

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TO DIRECTOR FBI ROUTINE

ATTN: [REDACTED] GGCU

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Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
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Mr. Tavel	
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Mr. Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

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UNSUBS; [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL - VICTIMS; CHILD
DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW
YORK; CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OFFICE OF ORIGIN: NEW YORK.

RENYTEL TO BUREAU DATED AUGUST 15, 1985.

THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING THIS MATTER DID NOT MEET
ON AUGUST 20, 1985 AS PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED. ACCORDING TO AUSA
[REDACTED] HIS SUPERIORS IN THE USA'S OFFICE, SDNY, HAS
REQUESTED THAT HE DRAFT BOTH A PRESS RELEASE AND A LETTER TO THE

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SUPERINTENDENT OF THE UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY ADVISING THE
SUPERINTENDENT AS TO THE RESULTS OF THE INVESTIGATION, PRIOR TO THE
GRAND JURY VOTE BECOMING A MATTER OF PUBLIC RECORD. NOW
ANTICIPATES THAT THE GRAND JURY WILL VOTE ON THIS INDICTMENT
SOMETIME PRIOR TO MID-SEPTEMBER, 1985.

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THE BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF ALL FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS.

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H. JAMES SAXTON

13TH DISTRICT, NEW JERSEY

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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, DC 20515

August 27, 1985

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RETIREMENT INCOME AND EMPLOYMENT

J. Kevin O'Brien
Inspector for Congressional Affairs
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Office of Congressional Affairs, Room 7240
10th and Pennsylvania Avenues, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Inspector O'Brien:

I am writing with regard to FBI involvement in an alleged case of day care center child abuse in which one of the victims is the [redacted] of my constituents.

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I understand that this matter, at present, is the subject of an ongoing investigation, and involves activities which allegedly occurred at the West Point Child Development Center around the time of July and August, 1984. This letter is not so much concerned with the current investigation as with the events leading to it.

According to [redacted] initial indication of potential abuse at the West Point center first surfaced on [redacted] when a [redacted] identified as [redacted] was treated at Keller Army Community Hospital for [redacted]. The examining physician, [redacted] contacted the CID. First indication of FBI involvement, however, occurred 10 days later, when the physician was interviewed by a special agent.

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On or about [redacted] believing that their child, [redacted], has been subjected to abuse at the center, contacted CID. They are instructed to contact the FBI, which is handling the matter. They do so, but are informed that the assigned special agent, [redacted] is on vacation. [redacted] are told they will have to wait for his return before offering any information. Eight days later, on [redacted] Special Agent [redacted] interviews [redacted].

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J. Kevin Brien
August 27, 1985
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Later in August the investigation is ostensibly completed, and officers are informed it is safe to send their children to the day care center.

In [redacted] hired a child psychologist who examines [redacted] and concludes [redacted] and parents of [redacted] hire a private attorney to pursue a full investigation.

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On September 17, 1984, the story is widely-publicized in the media. On or about September 25, 1984, the U.S. Attorney's Office became involved. On October 1, 1984, the FBI Pedophile Team arrived at West Point. As of this date, the investigation continues.

Realizing there is generally more than one side to any story, the events as related to me by [redacted] and as capsulized here, none-the-less give rise to a number of disturbing questions. But my particular attention, for the moment, centers on these:

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(1.) Why did 10 days lapse from the time [redacted] injuries were reported until the time the FBI contacted the examining physician?

(2.) Why would the FBI allow eight days to elapse from the time [redacted] report further evidence of abuse, and the time they are actually interviewed by the FBI?

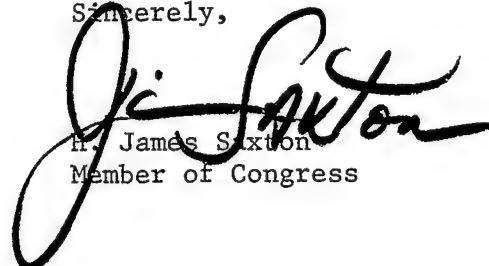
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My inquiries to date indicate that, for all intents and purposes, this type of investigation, in which the accused and the victims are civilians situated at a military facility, rightfully belongs with the FBI. What [redacted] could not understand, and frankly, what is not clear to me, is the seemingly unnecessary time delays in addressing a most serious matter.

In that I will be back in touch with [redacted] in the very near future, your prompt review and response would be very much appreciated. Thanking you in advance for your cooperation, I am

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Sincerely,


J. James Sexton
Member of Congress

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September 6, 1985

Honorable H. James Saxton
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Saxton:

Your August 27th letter to the FBI on behalf of FEDERAL GOVERNMENT has been received.

We are looking into the situation involving your constituents and [redacted] and will be back in touch with you as soon as possible with our findings.

Sincerely,

William M. Baker
Assistant Director
Office of Congressional
and Public Affairs

- 1 - New York (70A-5280) (HRA) - Enclosure
Personal Attention SAC Criminal; Review attached letter from Congressman Saxton and furnish details concerning two specific questions to reach FBIHQ by 9/13/85. Send reply to attention of SA [redacted] Fugitive/General Government Crimes Unit, CID, with copy to Correspondence Unit, OCPA.
- 1 - [redacted] - Enclosure
1 - Administrative Unit, CID, Room 5121
1 - Congressional Affairs Office
1 - [redacted] Room 6218 - Enclosure - detached sub

NOTE: Congressman Saxton writes on behalf of [redacted] AND [redacted] who claim that [redacted] was subjected to sexual abuse at the WEST POINT CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, which is located at the U. S. Military Academy in West Point, New York. He asks about delays which apparently occurred between the time the first abuse case was reported at WEST POINT and the FBI conducted its interview of the doctor involved. He also states that when [redacted] reported the abuse of their child to the FBI, they were told they would have to wait for the case Agent's return from vacation. They were finally interviewed eight days later. The investigation in question is entitled "Unsub(s); [redacted] - Victim; et al-Victims; Child Development Center, U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York; CGR-Sexual Abuse of Children; OO: New York."

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DEVELOPMENT CENTER, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT,

NEW YORK; CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OO; NEW YORK.

RE YOUR TELETYPE DATED AUGUST 26, 1985. 70-74336-36

RETEL ADVISED THAT THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY WOULD MAKE A
RETURN IN CAPTIONED MATTER SOMETIME PRIOR TO MID-
SEPTEMBER, 1985.

NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO PROMPTLY ADVISE FBIHQ THE STATUS
OF CAPTIONED MATTER VIA TELETYPE. (Go)

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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To: THE PRESIDENT ID 346092
Date Received: 09-30-85 Date Due: 10-11-85 Control #: 5093012209
Subject & Date
09-09-85 LETTER COMPLAINS OF NO RESPONSE TO PREVIOUS LETTER.
(NO RECORD IN EX. SEC.,). LETTER EXPRESSES CONCERN THAT THE
INVESTIGATION INTO CHILD ABUSE AT A CHILD CARE CENTER AT OC
WEST POINT, NEW YORK WAS NOT TAKEN SERIOUSLY.

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DEVELOPMENT CENTER

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WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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85/09/18

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Subject:

*No answer to previous letter
regarding sexual child abuse at
Child Care Center, West Point NY
(copy enclosed).*

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F - Furnish Fact Sheet
to be used as Enclosure

I - Info Copy Only/No Action Necessary
R - Direct Reply w/Copy
S - For Signature
X - Interim Reply

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Keep this worksheet attached to the original incoming letter.

Send all routing updates to Central Reference (Room 75, OEOB).

Always return completed correspondence record to Central Files.

Refer questions about the correspondence tracking system to Central Reference, ext. 2590.

September 9, 1985

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Honorable President Ronald Reagan
The White House
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. President,

Enclosed is a copy of a letter that I sent to you two months ago; a letter not acknowledged as having been received by you or your staff. I do realize that you have undergone a serious operation and that you face national and international problems that require your attention... nevertheless.....

It has been discouraging as grandparents to accept what appears to be apparent indifference to the existence of this problem. It is discouraging not to know of the progress being made, or even if the problem is seriously being worked. That a problem exists is emphasized to our family regularly...like just recently when [redacted] refused to go to nursery school, and [redacted] reasons why....

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Your administration (or those close to it) has taken a public stand on drug abuse, and in a way on AIDS, two serious health and mental problems facing this nation. Both of these problems, in the most part, are the result of an indiscretion on the part of the afflicted. Please...please, review the instances of child abuse, and in particular sexual child abuse, where an innocent child, who committed no indiscretion, is the victim, and in most instances, is scarred for life.

[redacted] have made great sacrifices, financially, physically, and socially, to publicize the problem, admittedly because of personal involvement. Perhaps it would have been easier to cover up the whole mess like the West Point hierarchy was willing to do, and yes like even the first FBI agent assigned to the case was willing to do.

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Mr. President...Mr. Reagan...Father...Grandfather Reagan...I want to know that you have been made aware of this case. Mr. President, I want to be assured that there has not been a cover-up. Mr. President, [redacted]

[redacted] to focus attention on this case. I am continually asking myself what can I do to help [redacted] find inner peace by knowing that our government...our President...cares and can somewhat assure them that all was not in vain.

The easiest, and perhaps wisest thing I can do at this time, is to try once more to appeal to you....a registered letter this time, in the hope that it will reach you.

Respectfully,

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July 12, 1985

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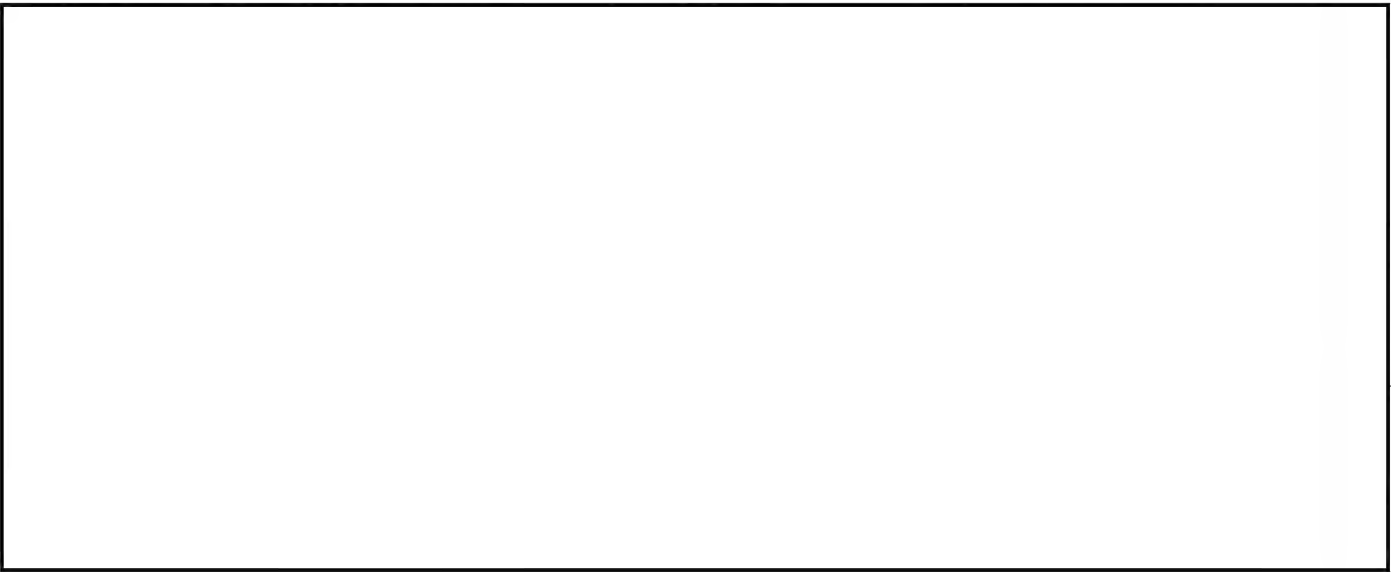
President Ronald Reagan
White House
Washington, D.C.

Mr. President:

I am [redacted] several weeks ago in an effort to bring attention to the cases of child abuse that took place at the child care center at the Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. Except for many letters from all over the country commending his courage for taking such a position, he has yet to hear from anyone something positive as to this case and something positive for the abused children and for the possibly abused children whose parents were stationed at West Point during this period and who have since been transferred and do not even know of the possibility. Nor has [redacted] been kept informed by the F.B.I. relative to the numerous leads that he and his wife have provided to them.

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Let me tell you a little something about [redacted] the man, so that you can put into perspective the character of the individual who would make such a sacrifice.



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I could outline [redacted] accomplishments and character too but I will limit this to just [redacted] Believe me though she also is great.

Now that you somewhat know him, let's get to the "rest of the story" and what has caused him to continue his fight for the abused children, not only those at West Point, but for all abused children.

This country has just experienced another hostage crises. Forty Americans held against their will. I am sure you realize that every day forty times forty young American children one year old and up, join the ranks of the thousands of others who are held hostage by molesters, perverts and deviates. Noted child psychologist [redacted] was hired [redacted] to examine his child and other children at West Point who were possibly molested at the child care center. This step should have been taken by the authorities at West Point. [redacted] examinations are on video tape, paid for by [redacted] and were made available to West Point authorities. [redacted] has publicly stated that these children were abused.

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To date no one has made any attempt to contact the parents of the abused children or the parents of the possibly abused children who attended the center when the suspected abusers

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were employed there. It is quite possible these children need professional help to deal with their nightmares and other problems. [redacted] still talks about [redacted] experiences but is fortunate in having parents who are attempting to deal with the problem instead of covering it up.

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Mr. President, [redacted] has never played on a championship college football team, nor a national championship professional football, baseball or basketball team. He would though like to hear from you to know that you are aware of what he has done and is doing. He would like to know that you are getting after the right people to find out why no one ever got in touch with him and his wife to find out what drove him to, with much regret, [redacted]

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Please excuse the typing ability of a frustrated but proud [redacted]

Respectfully,

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New York Daily News Article.

*As I do not have a copy of the New York Daily News article, I am sending you a copy of the newspaper articles that appeared in the Asbury Park Press on this case after [redacted]

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Army couple in anguish over child abuse case

ASBURY PARK PRESS, JULY 22, 1985

NEWS ITEM

FORT DIX, June 25 — An Army doctor rejected an elevation to major yesterday and turned a routine promotion ceremony into a forum to protest the Army's response to allegations that children, including his daughter, were sexually abused at a West Point, N.Y., day care center.

By **LARRY MC DONNELL**

At first, U.S. Army doctor, Walter Grote and his wife, Mary, thought their 2-year-old daughter had diabetes. She wasn't sleeping well, and the sleep she did get was marred by fitful nightmares and a body-soaking sweat.

Months later, the observations of physicians and a leading child psychologist, and their daughter's vivid memories, provided a different explanation for the symptoms. Capt. Grote remembers the difficulty he had finding words to describe it.

"I said, 'Mary ... our daughter has been abused.'"

In the 11 months since then, the Grotes and 10 other military families have been waging a bureaucratic battle against the Army, alleging that at least 11 children, ranging in age from 13 months to 3 1/2 years, were sexually abused at the U.S. Military Academy's West Point Child Development Center.

The public warring peaked last month when Grote, an internist now stationed at Fort Dix in Burlington County, surprisingly rejected a promotion to major in protest what he says is the Army's refusal to deal with "even acknowledge" — child abuse at the prestigious academy.

A federal grand jury convened in White Plains, N.Y., began in April to review evidence developed by an exhaustive FBI probe at the center, reportedly consisting of more than 500 interviews and involving the bureau's Sexual Exploitation of Children Task Force.

Placing guilt is proving to be difficult. Though the Grotes are certain their daughter was a victim, a civilian worker at the center identified by their

A CLOSER LOOK

Grotes, the first to file a lawsuit, have dropped their case, satisfied that a grand jury is weighing the evidence.

Grote says also that he is not bitter. His daughter is coping well, and the family encourages her to talk about the incidents.

"It's gotten to be so natural that it can be dinner conversation," said Mrs. Grote. "As difficult as that is for me as a mother, I realize that's where it needs to be at this point in her life."

The major impetus, Grote said, is that venerable West Point has turned its back on its "family," more concerned about an image than the lives of children.

"I don't think West Point has established, to this day, the proper milieu for the families to come forward, to realize, 'Your kids are victims. Your families are victims. We want to help you.'"

Originally from Scotch Plains Township, Walter Grote has a linebacker's build, military-length brown hair and large, dark eyes. He was a state wrestling champ in high school, and the 198-pound free-styling wrestling champ at West Point.

Mary, raised in Rumson, is attractive and good-natured, eager to talk about an episode most would want buried. She and her husband turned to the Army because "We were just married, we were broke and Walt was just entering medical school." Grote attended Kansas City College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Together, they recount the story day-by-day, and, after 10 months of telling it they still seem surprised at its twists and turns.

It began last August, when they learned through the rumor mill that a 3 1/2-year-old girl, the daughter of Sgt. Major William Wright, had been treated at the emergency room at West Point's Keller Army Community Hospital for vaginal lacerations. The child, Grote said, "mentioned somebody at the child center."

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Army doctor Walter Grote, who is stationed in Fort Dix, and his wife, Mary, talk in their home.

they had not heard the allegations. Command officers said the FBI was handling the case.

The instructor named by Mrs. Wright's daughter had passed a polygraph test given by the FBI and was allowed to return to work. Grote says the lone FBI agent working on the case at this early stage was dubious of their claims.

"It sounds like a simple diaper-changing case," Mary Grote said the FBI agent told her. "I'm not very impressed with the story."

A week later, the FBI said the woman accused of abusing Grote's daughter had also passed a lie detector test, further weakening the case.

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have searched for a motive, not for the abusers, but for the Army: Why would the military want to keep quiet a case involving civilians?

"I fully expected that I was going to go to West Point officials and some big guy was going to take me in there and say 'OK, Walt, great job. We're going to get to the bottom of this.'"

Mary found some friends supportive but fearful to speak out.

"They said, 'My husband is afraid for his military career. He doesn't want to do anything about it.'"

Mary Grote testified before the grand jury April 24. She worries that her daughter may have to testify, and waits daily for word on indictments.

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the only thing at this point which could convince Walter Grote to drop the case. He gave up a \$3,500 raise when he bucked promotion and has spent \$10,000 in legal fees and expenses.

At the core of the story, Grote said, you find "attitudes" his and those of others within the Army "family."

"The whole thing was, 'This can't happen at West Point,'" he said. "After it was pretty obvious that it did happen at West Point, people were mad at me for coming forward."

"They said we shouldn't let people know this happens at West Point. We have this image to protect."

□ **Larry McDonnell** is a general assignment writer in the Asbury Park office of The Asbury Park Press.

stationed at Fort Dix in Monmouth County, surprisingly rejected a promotion to major to protest what he says is the Army's refusal to deal with — "even acknowledge" — child abuse at the prestigious academy.

A federal grand jury convened in White Plains, N.Y., began in April to review evidence developed by an exhaustive FBI probe at the center, reportedly consisting of more than 500 interviews and involving the bureau's Sexual Exploitation of Children Task Force.

Placing guilt is proving to be difficult. Though the Grotes are certain their daughter was a victim, a civilian worker at the center identified by their child, and another identified by other children, each passed lie detector tests administered by the FBI.

The two women were not charged and no arrests have been made. One of the workers has since left the center, the other works in its administrative offices, said Maj. David Compton, an academy spokesman.

FBI spokesman Joseph Valiquette said the case is "open and active" but declined further comment.

James DeVita, the assistant U.S. attorney assigned to the case, also declined to comment.

West Point denies that it ignored the allegations, and says because the workers were civilian, it had little jurisdiction to investigate on its own.

"He (Grote) is part of the Army family and we want to work with him to get to the bottom of these allegations," Compton said in an interview last week.

Grote agrees he's a member of the Army "family," and says he found it is sometimes a vicious clan. Since "going public" with their story last September, he says his family has been pressured and ostracized by Army personnel, though that has eased since his transfer to Fort Dix two months ago.

Money is not a motive for the Grotes. Ten families filed suit against the Army for \$100 million, but the

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But Mary recalled that she stopped sending her daughter to the facility because of an unprovoked "hysterical reaction" the child had during a trip to the center.

"When Walt got the name of the child who was abused, I got this very sick feeling," Mary said. "I sat on my sick feeling for about two days, and I actually admonished myself for what I was thinking. But the age of the child was similar to my girl."

Her daughter's sleeplessness of five months earlier made Mrs. Grote more concerned, and she fearfully put the question to her daughter.

"I said, 'Did anyone ever touch you at the child care center?'"

The daughter responded that a teacher touched "my private parts," and said later she had touched the instructor's "private parts."

The physical evidence was weak, but the Grotes were convinced their daughter was telling the truth.

"Children have no realm of experience for lying about this," Mrs. Grote said.

Grote approached officers at the hospital and the Army's Criminal Investigations Command, and as further evidence developed, contacted the FBI. The physicians, to Grote's surprise, said

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Videotape in hand, lawyer Crain contacted academy officials and made three demands: "Get the two women out, get children who attended the clinic in the last two years screened. Get the FBI pedophile squad in."

Typical of the responses he'd been getting all along, Grote said, was the Army's request to move a meeting on the demands from Thursday to Monday.

"They said, 'This is a big football weekend. It's the Colgate game.'"

Funny at first, the delay anguished the Grotes.

"My wife and I had at this point thought the abuse was only taking place on weekends. Each time the weekends came along, we'd get anxious and try to push," he said.

Instead of spurring action, the videotape further marked the battle lines.

"They told our attorney, 'Try to get it into court,'" Grote said.

The family turned to the media, giving ABC News the interview it had been after for two weeks, and granting interviews with the local newspapers. The publicity, Grote said, seemed to have a quick effect: By Oct. 1, five FBI agents were on the scene and were later joined by 10 others.

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Dear [REDACTED]

CRIMINAL SOURCE

Your September 9th letter to President Reagan has been referred to the FBI for acknowledgment and was received on October 1st. We have no record of the July 12th communication which you indicated you had sent previously to President Reagan.

I understand your concern that a thorough investigation be conducted into allegations of child abuse in the Child Development Center, U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York. Our investigation is currently ongoing, and while I cannot provide any specific details, I can assure you that this investigation has been conducted in a thorough manner. Approximately 986 individuals have been interviewed and our investigative report has been turned over to the United States Attorney's Office for prosecutive opinion.

Sincerely yours,

Floyd I. Clarke
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

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The White House

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Room 4418, DOJ

1 - [REDACTED] - Enclosures (3)

1 - Administrative Unit, CID, Room 5121

NOTE: [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] who has claimed that [REDACTED] was subject to sexual abuse at the WEST POINT CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York. [REDACTED] wrote to the President to let him know that [REDACTED] to bring the plight of abused children to the public's attention. [REDACTED] wants to be sure the case is brought to the President's attention. The investigation in question is entitled "UNSUB (S); [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ET AL-VICTIMS OF CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, U. S. MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW YORK; CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; CO: NEW YORK." A letter was sent to Honorable H. James Saxton, House of Representatives, on 10-8-85 on behalf of [REDACTED] in which AD Clarke responded to allegations that this investigation was not properly handled. Statistics regarding number of interviews taken from 8/15/85 teletype from NYO, and this information has been provided to the U. S. Attorney's Office, SDNY, per its request.

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RENYCOPY OF BULET TO HONORABLE H. JAMES SAXON, UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, DATED SEPTEMBER 6, 1985.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS BEING SETFORTH IN REPLY TO TWO
QUESTIONS POSED BY CONGRESSMAN SAXON ON THE SECOND PAGE OF HIS

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AUGUST 27, 1985 LETTER TO THE BUREAU'S OFFICE OF CONGRESSIONAL AFFAIRS. IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST QUESTION:

ON [REDACTED] AN AGENT FROM THE UNITED STATES ARMY'S CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DETACHMENT (CID), UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY (USMA), WEST POINT, NEW YORK, CONTACTED THE NEW ROCHELLE METROPOLITAN RESIDENT AGENCY AND ADVISED THAT A [REDACTED] YEAR OLD [REDACTED] CHILD HAD ALLEGEDLY BEEN SEXUALLY ABUSED AT THE THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER (CDC), A DAY-CARE FACILITY LOCATED ON THE GROUNDS OF THE USMA. THE CHILD IDENTIFIED [REDACTED] A [REDACTED] CARE-GIVER AT THE CDC. THE CID HAD ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] BUT THEIR INVESTIGATION HAS DISCLOSED THAT [REDACTED] WAS [REDACTED] ON THE MORNING OF [REDACTED] SSRA [REDACTED] NRA, ADVISED SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] OF THE COMPLAINT AND ASSIGNED HIM TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER. ON THE SAME DATE, SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] TRAVELED TO WEST POINT AND INITIATED THE INVESTIGATION BY FIRST CONTACTING THE CID TO OBTAIN ALL DETAILS OF THE ALLEGATION. THE CID PROVIDED SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] WITH A COPY OF DOCTOR [REDACTED] MEDICAL REPORT CONCERNING THE INCIDENT. THIS MEDICAL REPORT WAS THOROUGH, SUCCINCT, AND SELF-EXPLANATORY,

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THUS NEGATING ANY IMMEDIATE NEED TO CONTACT THE DOCTOR BEFORE
PROCEEDING WITH THE INVESTIGATION. ALSO ON [REDACTED] AFTER
REVIEWING DOCTOR [REDACTED] MEDICAL REPORT AND OTHER INFORMATION
FURNISHED THE CID, SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] BEGAN INTERVIEWING
EMPLOYEES OF THE CDC, INCLUDING [REDACTED]
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ON [REDACTED] FOUR DAYS INTO THE INVESTIGATION SPECIAL
AGENT [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED DOCTOR [REDACTED] IN ORDER TO CONFIRM THE
CONTENTS OF HIS MEDICAL REPORT AND TO OBTAIN [REDACTED] PROFESSIONAL
OPINION WITH REGARDS TO CERTAIN INVESTIGATIVE ASPECTS OF THE INJURY
TO THE CHILD. CONTRARY TO THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE
CONGRESSMAN'S LETTER, THE RESPONSE BY THE NEW YORK DIVISION WAS BOTH
TIMELY AND THOROUGH.

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IN RESPONSE TO THE SECOND QUESTION:

ON [REDACTED] [REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY
CONTACTED SSRA [REDACTED] REGARDING THE POSSIBLE SEXUAL ABUSE OF HIS
[REDACTED] SSRA [REDACTED] ADVISED [REDACTED] THAT THE AGENT [REDACTED]
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WHO WAS FAMILIAR WITH THE WEST POINT INVESTIGATION WAS CURRENTLY ON LEAVE, AND THAT, AS A PRACTICAL MATTER, IT WOULD BE BEST IF ANY INTERVIEWS COULD BE POSTPONED UNTIL THE CASE AGENT RETURNED TO DUTY. HOWEVER, SSRA [] ALSO TOLD [] THAT IF [] CONSIDERED THE MATTER TO BE URGENT, HE WOULD ASSIGN ANOTHER AGENT TO IMMEDIATELY CONDUCT THE NECESSARY INTERVIEWS. [] REPLIED THAT SINCE THE INCIDENT INVOLVING [] HAS HAPPENED SEVERAL MONTHS AGO AND WAS NOT A RECENT EVENT, HE DID NOT BELIEVE THAT IMMEDIATE INTERVIEWS WERE NECESSARY. BY THE END OF THE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION, [] WAS COMPLETELY SATISFIED WITH SSRA [] REASONING AND EXPLANATION, AND HE WAS COMPLETELY AGREEABLE TO POSTPONE ANY PERSONAL INTERVIEWS UNTIL THE CASE AGENT'S RETURN FROM LEAVE.

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FROM EARLY MORNING UNTIL THE LATE AFTERNOON ON [] SPECIAL AGENT [] ASSISTED IN THE ARREST OF BUREAU SUBJECT [] [] (NEW YORK FILE 58A-2499), AND THE SUBSEQUENT TRANSPORTATION OF [] TO THE SDNY, WHITE PLAINS, FOR PROCESSING AND ARRAIGNMENT. UPON RETURNING TO THE NRA THAT AFTERNOON, SPECIAL AGENT [] WAS ADVISED OF THE ALLEGATIONS OF

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CHILD ABUSE MADE BY [REDACTED] DURING THE PREVIOUS WEEK. SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] THEN TELEPHONED [REDACTED] AND ATTEMPTED TO ARRANGE A MEETING FOR [REDACTED] [REDACTED] STATED THAT HE COULD NOT MEET WITH THE AGENT ON [REDACTED] DUE TO PRIOR COMMITMENTS AND THE MEETING WAS THEN ARRANGED FOR THE MORNING OF [REDACTED] AT THE [REDACTED] IN [REDACTED] NEW YORK, WHERE [REDACTED] WAS WORKING IN A PART-TIME CAPACITY.

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THE BUREAU WAS PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED DETAILS OF THIS ENTIRE MATTER IN NEW YORK AIRTEL TO BUREAU DATED FEBRUARY 4, 1985, CAPTIONED [REDACTED] SPECIAL AGENT, NEW YORK DIVISION, ADMINISTRATIVE INQUIRY, NEW YORK FILE 62-NEW".

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October 11, 1985

Honorable H. James Saxton
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Dear Congressman Saxton:

This will follow up Assistant Director
William Baker's September 6th response to your August 27th
inquiry on behalf of [redacted]

You asked two specific questions concerning
the FBI's investigation into allegations of child abuse
at the Child Development Center, U. S. Military Academy,
West Point, New York. Your first question concerned the
amount of time which had elapsed from the original report
of the injury to [redacted] and the FBI's contact
with the examining physician. The FBI was contacted by
the U. S. Army's Criminal Investigative Detachment (CID)
on [redacted], and advised of the alleged inci-
dent of sexual abuse. According to CID, the individual whom
the child identified as [redacted] assailant [redacted]

On the morning of [redacted] Special Agent
[redacted] was assigned to the investigation and he
immediately traveled to West Point and initiated the
investigation by first contacting the CID to obtain all
details of the allegation and its investigation. CID
provided a copy of [redacted] medical report
which was thorough, succinct and self-explanatory, thus
negating any immediate need to contact [redacted] before
proceeding with the investigation. On the same day,
Special Agent [redacted] began interviewing Child Develop-
ment Center employees, including the individual against
whom the allegation had been made.

Four days into the investigation, on [redacted]
[redacted] was interviewed in order to confirm the
contents of his medical report and to obtain his profes-
sional opinion with regard to certain investigative aspects
of the injury to the child. I think you will agree that
the FBI's investigation of this matter was both timely and
thorough.

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Honorable H. James Saxton

In response to your second question concerning the time which elapsed from when [redacted] reported the abuse of their child and when they were actually interviewed by the FBI, our New York Office has advised that [redacted] contacted the FBI on August 14, 1964, concerning the possible sexual abuse of [redacted]. [redacted] was advised that the Agent familiar with the West Point case was currently on leave and that, as a practical matter, it would be best if interviews could be postponed until he returned. [redacted] was advised, however, that if he considered the matter to be urgent, another Agent would be assigned to immediately conduct the necessary interviews. [redacted] replied that since the incident involving [redacted] had happened several months earlier, he did not believe that immediate interviews were necessary. [redacted] agreed to postpone the interviews until Special Agent [redacted] returned from leave. When Special Agent [redacted] returned to duty on [redacted] he telephoned [redacted] in an attempt to arrange a meeting for the next day. [redacted] stated he had prior commitments on [redacted] and, therefore, a meeting was arranged for the morning of [redacted].

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I hope the above information will alleviate any concerns you and your constituents may have that the FBI's investigation of this very serious matter was not conducted with the utmost thoroughness and dispatch.

Sincerely yours,

Floyd I. Clarke
Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division

1 - Acting Assistant Attorney General - Enclosures (2)
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NOTE: This is a final response to an inquiry from Congressman Saxton on behalf of [redacted] who claim that [redacted] was subjected to sexual abuse at the WEST POINT CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, which is located at the U. S. Military Academy in West Point, New York. Responses to delays in the investigation taken from New York Office teletype 9-26-64. The investigation in question is entitled "UNSUB (S); [redacted] - VICTIM; ET AL-VICTIMS; CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, U. S. MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, NEW YORK; CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN; OO: NEW YORK."

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Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

October 11, 1985

Floyd I. Clarke, Assistant Director
Criminal Investigative Division, FBI

AUGUST 27, 1985 LETTER FROM CONGRESSMAN
R. JAMES SAXTON CONCERNING THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT
CENTER, U. S. MILITARY ACADEMY

ACTION MEMORANDUM

In referenced letter (copy attached), Congressman Saxton requested information concerning the case involving the sexual abuse of children at the Child Development Center, West Point, New York. Attached is my response to this matter and a copy for your records. Since this matter is pending before the grand jury in the Southern District of New York, you are requested to review my communication and, if approved, forward it to the Congressman.

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RENYTEL TO BUREAU, DATED AUGUST 26, 1985 AND NYTELAL TO GGCU,
OCTOBER 24, 1985.

ON OCTOBER 18, 1985, A FEDERAL GRAND JURY IN WHITE PLAINS, NEW
YORK VOTED TO ISSUE NO INDICTMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS
INVESTIGATION. THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, SDNY, HAS KEPT

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A LID OF SECRECY ON THE GRAND JURY VOTE UNTIL THIS DATE IN ORDER TO PREVENT PRE-MATURE EXPOSURE TO THE NEWS MEDIA.

IN A MEETING THIS MORNING ATTENDED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE AND THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, GENERAL WILLARD SCOTT, SUPERINTENDENT, UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, WAS FORMERLY ADVISED OF THE RESULTS OF THE INVESTIGATION BOTH ORALLY AND BY MEANS OF A LETTER BY UNITED STATES ATTORNEY RUDOLPH W. GIULIANI.

AT 1:30 PM THIS DATE, MR. GIULIANI WILL ISSUE A PRESS RELEASE AND WILL ALSO MAKE PUBLIC THE CONTENTS OF HIS LETTER TO GENERAL SCOTT.

A COPY OF THE PRESS RELEASE AND LETTER WILL BE FURNISHED TO THE BUREAU UNDER SEPARATE COVER.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 10/24/85UNSUB(S);

ET AL - VICTIMS;

Re: CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER,
UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY,
WEST POINT, NEW YORK;
CGR - SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN
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Attached New York teletype advises that on 10/18/85, a Federal grand jury, White Plains, New York, failed to return an indictment in captioned case due to a lack of sufficient evidence.

On 10/24/85, during a meeting attended by representatives of the New York Office and the United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, General Willard Scott, Superintendent, United States Military Academy, was formally advised by United States Attorney Rudolph W. Giuliani. At 1:30 p.m., on 10/24/85, Mr. Giuliani issued a press release regarding this matter, a copy of which will be furnished to FBIHQ via separate cover.

- 1 - Mr. Revell
- 1 - Mr. Baker
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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

62 Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

March 19, 1986

Sir:

The attached communication
is sent for your consideration.
Please investigate the statements
contained therein and forward me
the necessary information for re-
ply, returning the enclosed corre-
spondence with your answer.

Yours truly,

Vin Weber

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RE: West Point Child Abuse Case

Dear Vin: Please reopen this case. (or help)

1. Judge said not enough evidence
2. [redacted] showed that parents of victims and told of abuse.
3. Mothers who are working out of economic necessity don't need this worry.
4. I feel military is pulling a giant cover up. This could be your child or mine.
5. Go for it! You are our voice [redacted]

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Congressman Vin Weber

TO: [redacted]

FROM: [redacted]

DATE: 2-6-86

CONSTITUENT OPINION OR REQUEST

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NAME [redacted] TELEPHONE # [redacted]

ADDRESS [redacted] COUNTY [redacted]

CITY, STATE, ZIP [redacted]

West Point Day Care Center

re: child abuse

Child Development Center
West Point, NY

Note no

70-74336-44

ENCLOSURE

April 1, 1986

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Honorable Vin Weber
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Weber:

Your March 19th communication on behalf of [redacted] has been referred to me for reply. Your constituents wrote to you regarding an investigation into alleged child abuse at the West Point Child Development Center.

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Following receipt of allegations that children attending the West Point Child Development Center were sexually abused, the FBI and the United States Attorney's Office in the Southern District of New York, working in conjunction with a Federal grand jury, conducted an extensive investigation into this matter. It was determined after a careful examination of the facts that there was insufficient evidence to bring charges against any particular individual. The grand jury, therefore, concluded without voting any indictments. At this time, we do not anticipate reopening the investigation. However, should any additional information come to our attention, it will be given every consideration.

I hope the foregoing information will be helpful in responding to your constituents. Your enclosure is being returned as requested.

Sincerely yours,

APPROVED: [Signature]
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V-3 Floyd I. Clarke
Assistant Director,
Criminal Investigative Division

Enclosure

- 1 - New York (70A-5280) - Enclosures (2)
- 1 - [redacted] - Enclosures (2)
- 1 - Administrative Unit, CID, (Room 5121)
- 1 - Congressional Affairs Office

NOTE: Congressman Weber encloses copies of comments he has received from constituents who request that the investigation of child abuse at the Child Development Center, U. S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, be reopened. Above response has been sent to similar inquiries and it was coordinated with SA [redacted] Fugitive/General Government Crimes Unit, CID.

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JIM BATES
44th DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

PLEASE REPLY TO:

- ☐ 1404 LONGWORTH BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515
(202) 225-5452
- ☐ COLLEGE GROVE CENTER
3450 COLLEGE AVENUE, #231
SAN DIEGO, CA 92115
(619) 287-8851

March 25, 1986

MMR
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William Webster, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Ninth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20534

Dear Mr. Webster:

I recently received the attached information from a constituent, [redacted] RN, regarding her concern that an investigation of alleged child molestation at the West Point child care center should be reopened and given full attention.

I would greatly appreciate your looking into this matter and providing me with a reply so that I might properly respond to the inquiry. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact [redacted] of my district staff at [redacted]

Thank you for your assistance. Please respond to me at 430 Davidson Street, Suite A, Chula Vista, California 92010.

Sincerely,

A. Bates

JIM BATES
Member of Congress

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Ack let to Hon. Jim Bates
dated 4-11-86
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Jan. 31, 1986

Dear Representative Bates,

I am writing to urge you to do all you can to facilitate the reopening of the investigation into the child sexual abuse that occurred at the child care center at West Point. After hearing the accounts of molestation I am appalled that the investigation has been dropped without indictments. I feel that nothing should take precedence over the safety of children in this country and that it behooves our government to act in the best interests of the children who have been abused. This matter is all the more pressing because the individuals involved may still be working with small children.

I urge you to act with all haste to protect our nation's children and punish those responsible for these heinous crimes.

Sincerely,

[Redacted] R.N.
[Redacted]

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ENCLOSURE

April 11, 1986

Honorable Jim Bates
Member of Congress
Suite A
430 Davidson Street
Chula Vista, California 92010

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Dear Congressman Bates:

I have received your March 25th letter on behalf of [redacted] who wrote to you regarding an investigation into alleged child molestation at West Point.

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Following receipt of allegations that children attending the West Point Child Development Center were sexually abused, the FBI and the United States Attorney's Office in the Southern District of New York, working in conjunction with a Federal grand jury, conducted an extensive investigation into this matter. It was determined after a careful examination of the facts that there was insufficient evidence to bring charges against any particular individual. The grand jury, therefore, concluded without voting any indictments. At this time, we do not anticipate reopening the investigation. However, should any additional information come to our attention, it would be given every consideration.

I hope you will find the foregoing information helpful in responding to your constituent's concerns.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Webster
William H. Webster
Director

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NOTE: Congressman Bates forwarded a letter from [redacted] who expressed concern that allegations of child abuse at the West Point child care center are being covered up by the Government. Information provided Congressman Bates was furnished by SA [redacted] Fugitive/General Government Crimes Unit, CID. Bufiles contain no record of [redacted] on the basis of available information.

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Director [signature]

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Director, FBI

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ET AL-VICTIMS;
CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER,
UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY
WEST POINT, NEW YORK
CGR-SEXUAL ABUSE OF CHILDREN
OO: NEW YORK

Enclosed for New York is the original and two copies of
an FD-302 of Supervisory Special Agent (SSA) [REDACTED]
dated 8/20/86 at Washington, D.C.

SSA [REDACTED] can be reach at FTS 324-4272 if there are
any questions.

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Date of transcription 9/11/86

[redacted] telephone number [redacted] contacted the reporting agent and provided the following information regarding developments in her investigation of the sexual abuse of her [redacted] at West Point Military Academy:

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A few days prior to this interview, [redacted] told her that [redacted] had seen [redacted] in the room next door to [redacted] and other children. [redacted] emphasized that this recollection must be related to [redacted] previous statements about going to [redacted] and others. [redacted] explained that on [redacted] mornings in [redacted] her [redacted] attended [redacted] New York. The room next door to the one in which [redacted] pre-school was held was the [redacted] said [redacted] whole class, including [redacted] teachers went into the room next to [redacted] pre-school for a few minutes. [redacted] and the others [redacted] was with [redacted] [redacted] recalled that for a long time, [redacted] had been saying that one time when [redacted] teacher and [redacted] had had to [redacted] suggested this could be the same incident. [redacted] advised she had reported [redacted] revelation to a friend she has developed on the New York State Police Department who has assured her this is very important information. [redacted] suggested that if [redacted] pre-school teachers are interviewed, one of them may remember the occasion when [redacted] brought children from the Child Care Center at West Point to [redacted] identified [redacted] pre-school teachers as [redacted] who both resided in [redacted] [redacted] who resided in [redacted] and a [redacted] teacher whose name [redacted] could not recall. [redacted] does not know which of the [redacted] would be identified as the [redacted] teachers with [redacted] when [redacted] [redacted] also recalled that when [redacted] was in pre-school, [redacted] would have been a [redacted]

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Investigation on 8/20/86 at Washington, D. C. File #

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Continuation of interview of [REDACTED]

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Approximately [REDACTED] months ago, [REDACTED] reported to Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA) [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] has said [REDACTED] used to take the children from West Point Child Care to the [REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] advised that she and a number of the other parents who believe their children were victimized at West Point Child Care Center have been keeping in touch with each other by telephone. They are all convinced that their children were abused as part of a Satanic ritual. [REDACTED] husband, [REDACTED] has been in contact with [REDACTED] of the San Francisco Police Department, as one professional to another. [REDACTED] is an expert in Satanic cults. [REDACTED] has advised [REDACTED] that many of the activities and objects the children have described have Satanic overtones. [REDACTED] has provided him with a questionnaire which [REDACTED] stated clearly reflects a number of the things the children have reported as occurring while they were at the West Point Child Care Center.

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[REDACTED] was asked what her reaction would be if all [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] pre-school teachers denied seeing the teachers and children from the West Point Child Care Center [REDACTED] [REDACTED] advised that at least that particular lead would have been covered, and she would continue to search for the proof of [REDACTED] abuse by West Point Child Care Center personnel.

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